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From: SAN FRANCISCO

To: MOSCOW

No: 88

28 February 1944

To VIKTOR[1].

On ¹⁶February [I] got in touch with "BRUSOV"[11]. [3 groups unrecovered] in[a] LOS ANGELES will prepare the materials.

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Reference no. 578[b]

In accordance with PETROV's[111] instructions (telegram no. 88[b] [I] paid "JULIA[YULIYA]"[iv] 388 dollars for "ZARE's"[v] journey and 175 dollars for each month for telegraph expenses. Please inform whether [D% in view of this] a further 345 dollars should be paid to "JULIA."

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KhARON[v1]

Notes: [a] Or "to."
[b] Not available.

Comments:

- [1] VIKTOR: Lt. General P.M. FITIN.
- [11] "BRUSOV": Unidentified cover-name.
- [111] PETROV: Unidentified. Probably identical with the MOSCOW signatory of MGB traffic and with the PETROV mentioned in the JULIA (KhLOPKOVA) letter of 18th/11th January 1944.
- [iv] "JULIA": Ol'ga Valentinovna KhLOPKOVA.
- [v] "ZARE": Elena Konstantinovna GORBUNOVA. Probably "the girl" who is twice mentioned in the JULIA letter of 18th/11th January 1944 as having correspondence with PETROV.
- [vi] KhARON: Grigoriy KhEJFETS. KhLOPKOVA stated in her letter that she met KhARON on 28th November 1943 and 11th January 1944.

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